

**REMARKS**

Claims 1 and 3-17 are pending in this application. Applicants appreciate the Office Action's indication that claim 1 and 3-17 are allowed.

By this Amendment, the rejected claims 20 and 21 are canceled to place the application in condition for allowance with allowed claims 1 and 3-17.

Entry of the amendments is proper under 37 CFR §1.116 since the amendments: (a) place the application in condition for allowance (for the reasons discussed herein); and (b) do not raise any new issue requiring further search and/or consideration. Entry of the amendments is thus respectfully requested.

In view of the foregoing, it is respectfully submitted that this application is in condition for allowance. Favorable reconsideration and prompt allowance are earnestly solicited.

Should the Examiner believe that anything further would be desirable in order to place this application in even better condition for allowance, the Examiner is invited to contact the undersigned at the telephone number set forth below.

Respectfully submitted,



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Attachment:  
Petition for Extension of Time

Date: April 17, 2007

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